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The Morgan Crucible Company plc - File No. 82-3387

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Sincerely,

David Coker Company Secretary

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NOTIFICATION OF TRANSACTIONS OF DIRECTORS, PERSONS DISCHARGING MANAGERIAL RESPONSIBILITY OR CONNECTED PERSONS

ISSUER

The Morgan Crucible Company plc

FILE NO.

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This form is intended for use by an issuer to make a RIS notification required by DR 3.1.4R(1).

- (1) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a transaction relating to the *shares* or debentures of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 16, 23 and 24.
- (2) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a derivative relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.
- (3) An issuer making a notification in respect of options granted to a director/person discharging managerial responsibilities should complete boxes 1 to 3 and 17 to 24.
- (4) An *issuer* making a notification in respect of a *financial instrument* relating to the *shares* of the *issuer* (other than a debenture) should complete boxes 1 to 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 23 and 24.

Please complete all relevant boxes in block capital letters.

1. Name of the issuer

The Morgan Crucible Company plc

- 2. State whether the notification relates to (i) a transaction notified in accordance with DR 3.1.4R(1)(a); or
- (ii) DR 3.1.4(R)(1)(b) a disclosure made in accordance with section 324 (as extended by section 328) of the Companies Act 1985; or
- (iii) both (i) and (ii)
- Both (i) and (ii)
- 3. Name of person discharging managerial responsibilities

Mr Mark Robertshaw

4. State whether notification relates to a person connected with a person discharging managerial responsibilities/director named in 3 and identify the connected person

N/A

5. Indicate whether the notification is in respect of a holding of the *person* referred to in 3 or 4 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

A holding of the person referred to in 3 above

6. Description of shares (including class), debentures or derivatives or financial instruments relating to shares

Ordinary Shares of 25p

7. Name of registered shareholders(s) and, if more than one, the number of shares held by each of them

Mr Mark Robertshaw

State the nature of the transaction

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9. Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares acquired 16,000 shares 10. Percentage of issued class acquired (treasury shares of that class should not be taken into account when calculating percentage) 0.005% 11. Number of shares, debentures or financial instruments relating to shares disposed N/A 12. Percentage of issued class disposed (treasury shares of that class should not be taken into account when calculating percentage) N/A 13. Price per share or value of transaction 227p 14. Date and place of transaction 28th February 2006 15. Total holding following notification and total percentage holding following notification (any treasury shares should not be taken into account when calculating percentage) 32,000 shares 0.011% 16. Date issuer informed of transaction 28th February 2006 If a person discharging managerial responsibilities has been granted options by the issuer complete the following boxes 17 Date of grant N/A18. Period during which or date on which it can be exercised N/A 19. Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option N/A20. Description of shares or debentures involved (class and number) N/A 21. Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at the time of exercise

Share Purchase •

22. Total number of shares or debentures over which options held following notification
N/A
23. Any additional information
None
24. Name of contact and telephone number for queries
Mr Paul Andrew Boulton telephone 01753 837000
Name and signature of duly authorised officer of issuer responsible for making notification
Mr Paul Andrew Boulton
Date of notification
28th February 2006
END END
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